

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-11

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 OES-07 HEW-06 CIAE-00 INR-10  
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R 220845Z JUN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2381

UNCLAS KATHMANDU 3211

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: TPHY, NP  
SUBJECT: MEDICAL EXPEDITION TO EVEREST

REF: KATHMANDU 2490, STATE 111953

SECRETARY PRADHAN OF MINISTRY TOURISM CALLED AMBASSADOR  
JUNE 21 TO INFORM HIM THAT APPLICATION OF US MEDICAL  
RESEARCH EXPEDITION TO CLIMB MT. EVEREST HAD BEEN  
APPROVED FOR FALL 1981. MINTOURISM WILL BE NOTIFYING  
EXPEDITION DIRECTLY OF THIS DECISION AND ADDITIONAL  
DETAILS, BUT IN VIEW OF EMBASSY/DEPARTMENT INVOLVEMENT IN  
THIS CASE BELIEVE NEA/INS PERCIVAL MIGHT WISH INFORM  
LEADERS DIRECTLY. FYI SUGGEST USG ROLE IN PROCESSING  
OF APPLICATION BE DOWNPLAYED IN ORDER AVOID  
ENCOURAGING OTHER MOUNTAINEERS TO THINK WE CAN PROVIDE  
ANSWERS TO THEIR PROBLEMS. MOREOVER, IT IS OUR ASSESS-  
MENT THAT APPLICATION WON OUT ON ITS OWN MERITS ONCE  
EMBASSY BROUGHT IT TO ATTENTION OF APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS.  
END FYI.  
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## Message Attributes

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